REGISTER OF CLASSIFICATION DECISIONS

Date of entry in Register:	28 July 2004
Name of applicant/court:	The District Court at Papakura
Applicant to the Labelling Body:	Not Applicable
Title of Publication:	zd10_001[1].mpeg
Other Known Title(s):	QBDGD6T\zd10_001[1].mpg
Director(s):	Not Stated
Producer(s):	Not Stated
Publisher:	Not Applicable
Author(s):	Not Applicable
Format:	Computer Moving Image File
Country of Origin:	Not Stated
Language(s):	English

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Components of film originally examined:

Feature:	zd10_001[1].mpeg	Running Time:	0.07
Trailers:	Nil	Running Time:	
		Total Running Time:	0.07

Excision/Alteration: Not Applicable.

Reason(s) for Excision:

Not Applicable.

Classification Decision:

Objectionable.

Display Conditions:

Not Applicable.

Descriptive Note:

Not Applicable.

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Direction to issue a label has been given on: Not Applicable.

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SUMMARY OF THE REASONS FOR DECISION:

The Computer Moving Image File entitled *zd10_001[1].mpeg* is classified as: Objectionable.

The computer moving image file contains a colour video clip explicitly depicting bestiality.

The computer moving image file promotes and supports bestiality. It does this by encouraging the viewer to be sexually aroused by bestiality and serves to validate and legitimise that sexual interest.

The publication meets criteria under s3(2)(e) of the Films, Videos, and Publications Classification Act 1993, and is therefore deemed to be objectionable. A classification of objectionable interferes with the right to the freedom of expression as set out in s14 of the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990. However, in relation to this publication, the classification is considered to be a reasonable limit prescribed by law that can be demonstrably justified in a free and democratic society.

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